



## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
 United States Patent and Trademark Office  
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
 www.uspto.gov

## BIB DATA SHEET

CONFIRMATION NO. 3875

| SERIAL NUMBER   | FILING or 371(c)<br>DATE  | CLASS  | GROUP ART UNIT   | ATTORNEY DOCKET<br>NO. |
|---|---|--|--|------------------------|
| 10/535,192  | 05/18/2005<br>RULE  | 429  | 1795   | P3506US00<br>SEM-0005  |
| <b>APPLICANTS</b><br>Kimiyoshi Kobayashi, Saitama, JAPAN;<br>Yutaka Sekine, Saitama, JAPAN;<br>Hideki Fujimoto, Kumamoto, JAPAN;<br>Tetsuji Kitamori, Kumamoto, JAPAN;                                |   |  |  |                        |
| <b>** CONTINUING DATA *****</b><br>This application is a 371 of PCT/JP04/10724 07/28/2004   |   |  |  |                        |
| <b>** FOREIGN APPLICATIONS *****</b><br>JAPAN 2003-285196 08/01/2003  |   |  |  |                        |
| <b>** IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED **</b>  |   |  |  |                        |
| Foreign Priority claimed  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No   | <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance | STATE OR<br>COUNTRY  | SHEETS<br>DRAWINGS     |
| 35 USC 119(a-d) conditions met  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No   | <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance | JAPAN  | 14                     |
| Verified and<br>Acknowledged  | /MCNIQUE M WILLS/<br>Examiner's signature   | Initials                                     |  | TOTAL<br>CLAIMS        |
|   |   |  |  | 27                     |
| INDEPENDENT<br>CLAIMS   |   |  |  |                        |
|   |   |  |  | 1                      |
| <b>ADDRESS</b><br>Dithavong Mori & Steiner, P.C.<br>918 Prince Street<br>Alexandria, VA 22314<br>UNITED STATES  |   |  |  |                        |
| <b>TITLE</b><br>Fuel cell optimum operation point tracking system in power supply device using fuel cell and power supply device provided with this fuel cell optimum operation point tracking system |   |  |  |                        |
| <b>FILING FEE<br/>RECEIVED</b><br>1250  | FEES: Authority has been given in Paper<br>No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT<br>No. _____ for following: |  | <input type="checkbox"/> All Fees                            |                        |
|   |   |  | <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees (Filing)                  |                        |
|   |   |  | <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees (Processing Ext. of time) |                        |
|   |   |  | <input type="checkbox"/> 1.18 Fees (Issue)                   |                        |
|   |   |  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                         |                        |
|   |   | <input type="checkbox"/> Credit              |  |                        |